

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, before line 3, insert the following heading:

--BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION--

Page 1, before line 6, insert the following heading:

--Description of the Related Art--

Page 2, replace the paragraph beginning on line 6 with the following amended paragraph:

--In the 1980s, a new generation of textiles was developed such as tightly woven fabric made of ~~continuous~~ continuous filament yarns, in some cases made of very fine filaments (microfibers), which can be chemically finished and may be calendered to enhance liquid penetration resistance.--

Page 4, line 6, replace the heading "SUMMARY" to

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Page 4, line 15, replace the heading "DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION" TO --DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENTS--

Page 4, replace the paragraph beginning on line 22 and bridging pages 4 and 5 with the following amended paragraph:

--The clothing is typically made of a layer of nonwoven polypropylene, having thickness ranging between 240 and 270 microns and unit ~~weight~~ weight ranging between 35 and 45 g/m², laminated with a polyethylene film having thickness ranging between 30 and 70 microns and unit ~~weight~~ weight ranging between 20 and 30 g/m².--

Page 5, replace the paragraph beginning on line 4 with the following amended paragraph:

--The total thickness of the material is in the range 270-340 microns while the unit ~~weight~~ weight ranges between 55 and 75 g/m².--

Page 5, replace the paragraph beginning on line 6 with the following amended paragraph:

--In particular, the clothing is preferably made of a layer of nonwoven polypropylene, having thickness in the range 245-255 microns and unit ~~weight~~ weight ranging between 37.5 and 40.0 g/m², laminated with a polyethylene film having thickness ranging between 40 and 60 microns and unit ~~weight~~ weight ranging between 22.5 and 27.5 g/m²; the preferred thickness of the clothing is in the range 285-315 microns while the unit ~~weight~~ weight ranges between 60.0 and 67.5 g/m².--

Page 5, replace the paragraph beginning on line 13 with the following amended paragraph:

--The inner layer consists in a nonwoven spunbonded material made up of ~~continues~~ continuous filaments of polypropylene.--

Page 6, replace the paragraph beginning on line 6 with the following amended paragraph:

--~~Furthermore~~ Furthermore, the tear and abrasion resistance are strong enough to withstand the stresses ~~encountured~~ encountered during any critical condition of use. The clothing

object of the present invention consists in overall, jacket and trousers.--

Page 8, replace the paragraph beginning on line 11 with the following amended paragraph:

--In particular, the clothing is marked in accordance with the European Standard (CE) for protective clothing against biological agents. The information for the user are worded clearly and unambiguously unambiguously and the CE marking is clearly evident to guarantee the accordance with the fundamental safety and healthy requirements; fig.2 Fig. 2 shows an example of label.--

Page 12, replace the paragraph beginning on line 5 with the following amended paragraph:

--The test has been run on three specimens of 75 mm x 75 mm, taken at random, at a temperature of 25 (+/-5) °C, with 52% relative humidity and each pressure is held held for 5 minutes.--